IN ODD MISHAPS

Many and Varied Accidents Befall Humanity.

Files of Insurance Companies Are Full of Cases Where Injuries Have Been the Result of Most Trivial Happenings.

Accident insurance, or insurance which pays benefits in case of temporary disability, is carried by a great many people. The claim agent whose business it is to investigate reported injuries often meets with amusing incidents. The following were furnished by an agent of a large insurance company:

"Some captive rattlesnakes in a restaurant escaped from a box in which they were confined and so frightened one of the patrons that in his haste to get out he fell in front of me, and in getting up, came up underneath me, tossing me over his head."

"I was in bed and dreamed that a burglar was bending over me. I struck at him so hard that I was thrown on the floor with arm extended and broke my collarbone."

"Assisting a lady who had an umbrella under her arm, to board a car, the point of the umbrella was thrust into my left eye."

"I placed an electric fan beside my bed on a hot night. While asleep I stuck my foot in it."

"In a playful mood I kicked at my wife while barefooted and accidentally struck her on the knee, thereby spraining the big toe of my left foot."

"My arm encircled the neck of a young lady. I suddenly withdrew it and the thumb of my left hand came in contact with a brooch, penetrating the thumb almost to the bone."

"My wife was curling her hair. I ran against her and the hair curler struck my eye."

"I was embraced by a friend who playfully said that he could make me cry—fractured my rib."

"On a private yacht, I had just had a highball, got up, the boat gave a lurch and I sat down on the glass."

"Looking for a leak in a natural gas pipe with a lighted match—explosion followed."

"I missed my train and while walking on the country road I fell over a cow lying in the road. As I fell the cow got up, striking me and also stepping on my foot."

"Sitting in a chair in a barber shop and billiard parlor, a ball from a pool table nearby struck me on the nose, breaking nose and injuring one eye."

"I had been talking with another man, and as I started to walk along didn't notice a woman had pushed a baby carriage directly in front of me—fell over it."

"I was going down the walk in front of my house when an automobile wheel which had come off two blocks away rolled down the hill and struck me, fracturing both bones of the right leg."

"I was riding in an automobile when it struck a hole in the road, causing my teeth to come together with such force that the lower jaw was fractured."

"I was looking for burglars, and was accidentally mistaken by one of my neighbors for the man we were looking for, and he shot me in the arm."

Another "Dickens Original."

One by one the little band of remaining "Dickens originals" are being gathered to their fathers. The London Morning Post chronicles the death in Strood infirmary of Mrs. Regden, the Betty Higden of "Our Mutual Friend." She was one of the lesser characters of the great novelist's creation, but as Gilbert Chesterton so truly says: "Dickens not only conquered the world; he conquered it with minor characters. They appear only for a fragment of time, but they belong to eternity. We have them only for an instant (like the young man with the lumpy forehead, who only says 'Esker' to Mr. Podsnap's foreign gentleman), but they have us forever." How great Dickens really was is seen from the fact that not more than one or two men have been found capable of creating even a single character in their books of equal vitality and individuality. Perhaps the two most outstanding instances are Sherlock Holmes and Captain Kettle. But where Conan Doyle and Cutcliffe Hyne created one famous character of that disciple Dickens created fifty.

Irish Police Hunt Illegal Stills.

Enormously increased prices of spirits in Ireland, due to the heavy taxation on them, have led to the widespread manufacture of poteen, a very strong home-made product that dodges the exciseman. The police hunt for illegal stills, like all other normal police activities, has been hampered by the fact that the chief job of the Irish police has been to protect themselves from attack. So the Sinn Feiners who have taken over the task of punishing thieves have added to their function the capture of illegal still.

Dust Rolled Out of the Carpet.

For cleaning carpets, very satisfactory results have been obtained from a big open-work drum of wood which is turned by a gasoline engine. The carpets to be treated are placed inside and the drum turned and after about 30 minutes of this the carpets are thoroughly cleaned and are none the worse for treatment. The beating process is sometimes disastrous to carpets which are well worn, but this rolling process does them no injury.

Biloxi reports the arrival of the first shrimp of the season. They were caught by a trawl boat outside of the city and as the shrimp were of a good size it is an indication that the coming fall and winter season will prove profitable for numerous boats fishng for canneries.

Mr. Albert P. Lauve of Alexandria, La., is the guest of Mr. Martin Turnbull and family.

ALLOWANCES BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, JULY TERM, 1920

General County Fund.

S. Bradford, keeper Ft. Bayou bridge $25.00; Denny & Heidelberg, attorneys board of supervisors, $25.00; Dr. J. N. Rape, county health officer, $50.00; J. H. Santa Cruz, county treasurer, $33.33; Miss Ola Monteith, agent home economics, $83.33; J. W. Pate, county commissioner of agriculture, $120.00; Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service chancery clerk's office, $3.25; S. C. Broom, county prosecuting attorney, $125.00; Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service sheriff's office, $3.25; J. W. Mozingo, convict foreman, $100.00; Haywood Brooks, janitor, salary and laundering towels for court house, $50.00; City of Pascagoula, water and lights court house and jail for June, $2.64; Gulf Refining Co. of La., viaBmithpsoaneg gasoline and oil for convict camp, $102.12; The Bobbs-Merrill Co., Miss Digest, Vol. 2 for court house library, $12.00; William Cooper & Nephews, 20 5-gallon cans cattle dip and freight, $127.04; W. F. Martin, amount paid for filing case for Chancery clerk's office, $25.00; W. J. Johnson, amount paid in re inspection Hancock Co. lieu lands, $14.00; Geo D. Barnard Stationery Co., supplies to circuit clerk, $5.76; Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service circuit clerk's office, $3.25; W. C. Havens, circuit clerk, salary, $229.16; Fred Taylor, salary chancery clerk, $312.50; Miss Morced Delmas, assistant to chancery clerk, $100.00; Miss Verna Johnson, salary stenogrrapher chancery clerk, $60.00; Fred Taylor, amount paid E. D. Shannon for screening jail, $2.00; Gulf Refining Co. of La., gasoline and oil for Randall ferry, $18.50; Dement Printing Co., supplies to chancery clerk, $3.09; Fred Taylor, clerk, P. O. box rent for court house for uarter ending Oct. 1, $0.75; F. S. Webster Co., supplies to Chancery clerk, $6.60; Foote & Davies Co., supplies to chancery clerk, $4.65; Fred Taylor, clerk, postage for chancery clerk's office, $5.00; Fred Taylor, clerk, amount paid Wm. Spear for repairing court house roof, $4.50; Mrs. Belle Dunawy, salary keeper county home boarding paupers, etc., $54.45; The Worrell Manufacturing Co., supplies to court house and jail, $224.88; Midland Chemical Co., supplies to court house and jail, $124.86; Spann Hardware Co., supplies to county home, $12.47; Spann Hardware Co., supplies to convict camp, $8.45; E. B. Smith, operating Randall ferry, helper's salary etc., $242.50; J. R. Nelson, three tons coal delivered Randall ferry in June, $35.25; H. D. Cudabac, sheriff, acknowledgements paid chancery clerk, $1.00; Miss Elma Lindinger, 2-3 month's salary as office deputy to sheriff, $66.67; A. S. Hunt, 1-3 month salary as deputy sheriff, $33.33; J. H. Cain, salary as chief deputy sheriff, $150.00; H. D. Cudabac, sheriff, salary, $333.33; H. D. Cudabac, sheriff, victualing prisoners in June, 1920, $59.50; Allred Grocery and Grain Co., feed for convict camp, $83.13; Modern Welding & Machine Co., repairing truck for convict camp, $4.75; Ivory Bolden, ice for court house, $2.80; Fanny Martin, cooking at convict camp and washing, $10.50; Chaley Mozingo, labor at convict camp, $39.00; Mills Ezell, labor at convict camp, $78.00; Pascagoula Chronicle, publishing proceedings board of supervisors, $54.00; Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to Chas. E. Chidsey, J. P., $14.50; Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to chancery clerk, $32.50; Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to sheriff, $14.35; W.C . Havens, circuit clerk, postage, $2.00; H. F. Russell, election commissioner, 2 days' attendance, $6.00; W. D. Bullard, election commissioner, 2 days' attendance, $6; S. R. Byrd, manager Bluff creek election district 5, $1.00; E. C. McLeod, manager Bluff creek election district, $1.00; Walter McMillan, manager Bluff Creek election district 5, $1.00; J. E. Wilkerson, manager Carterville election district 5, $1.00; D. A. Massingill, manager Carterville election district 5, $1.00; S. L. Krebs, groceries for convict camp, $11.35; Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to election commissioners, $9.25; M. W. Maples, dpping cattle and filling vats, $126.50; A. C. White, dipping cattle and filling vats, $140.50; J. L. White, dipping cattle and filling vats $147.50; J. P. Starks, dipping cattle and filling vats, $143.00; A. A. Hults, salary supervising tick eradication work, $50.00; J. B. Williams, dipping cattle and hauling dip, etc, $51.00; Mrs. W. H. Hill, groceries for convict camp, $86.72; M. E. Johnson, Lumber and hauling same to county home, $22.10; A. G. Dudley, J. P., fees in convict cases, $16.00; W. J. Johnson, member 3 days and 44 miles July term, $23.20; K. W. Burnham, member and 8 miles July term, $21.40; Wm. F. Martin, member, 3 days attendance July term, $21.00; J. K. Lemon, member, 3 days and 32 miles, July term, $22.60; J. M. Flurry, member, 3 days and 70 miles July term $24.50; Fred Taylor, clerk, 3 days services July term, $9.00; H. D. Cudabac, sheriff, 3 days services July term, $6.00; W. J. Johnson, member 2 days inspecting roads, $14.00; K. W. Burnham, member, 1 day inspecting roads, $7.00; Wm. F. Martin, member, 1 day inspecting roads, $7.00; J. K. Lemon, member, 4 days inspecting roads, $28.00; N. M. Flurry, member 4 days inspecting roads, $28.00; Mrs. Belle Dunaway, balance due on supplies furnished county home, $12.35; E. S. Davis & Sons, supplies to Ft. Bayou bridge, $1.20. Total $4445.71.

Bridge Fund.

Larue Lumber Co., lumber, $277.34; Lamar Baria, hauling lumber and labor repairing Brown bridge, $10.00; M. F. Deloney, hauling timber and lumber, moving camp, $12.00; George Mallett, Jr., hauling timber andl umber, $8.00; J. L. Flurry, salary as bridge commissioner, amount labor paid, $283.00; L. E. Parker, lumber for Brown's bridge $8.86. Total, $599.20.

District No. 1, Road Fund.

Gulf Refining Co. of La., gasoline and oil, $35.37; The Spann Hardware Co., supplies, $0.70; H. S. Long, feed, $10.80; C. W. Johnson, salary road foreman, labor and lumber paid for, $209.64. Total, $256.51.

District No. 2, Road Fund.

Gulf Refining Co. of La., 1 25-lb can cup grease, $3.50; The Spann Hardware Co., supplies, $5.32; A. Blumer, supulies, $0.85; Thompson Shingle Co., lumber, $2.96; W. H. Nelson, gasoline and nails, $6.75; Henry Busby, labor, $82.25; Smith's Garage, repairs to Cleveland Tractor, $6.27; A. B. Harris, shoeing mules, etc., $4.25; Barn Smith, 1½ days' hire horse and 36 hours labor, $15.60; J. W. Parker, 4½ days hire horse, salary road foreman, $134.00; J. W. Parker, feed and supplies, $38.86; Total, $300.61.

District No. 3, Road Fund.

Fred Taylor, clerk, freight on road grader, $2.58; Cudlipp Belting and Machinery Co., 1 6-ft Western Midget Grader, $175.00; W. R. Clark(labor and expenses work on roads in June, $92.00; J. T. Hariston, lumber for convict camp, $15,76; F. J. Johnson, 11 months expenses as road commissioner, $91.65; F. H. Lewis, 11 months expenses as road commissioner, $91.65; C. G. Scott, 11 months expenses as road commissioner, $91.65. Total $560.29.

District No. 3, Road Construction Fund

S. Sparling, services engineer S. extension project No. 77 and expenses, $71.37.

District No. 4, Road Fund.

W. S. Vancmleave, feed for team No. 1, $22.20; A. C. Gottsche, feed for team No. 1, $49.87; E. S. Davis & Sons, supplies, $891; Mrs. JoJs. B. Garrard, nails, $0.90; Phillip Davis, salary road foreman, $100.00; J. F. Nobles, driver team No. 2, $75.00; Paul Seymour, Sr., driver team No. 2, $67.50; Dan Webb, labor, $76.50; Will Lancaster, running tractor, $49.00; Mrs. L. F. Richter, feed for team No. 2, $41.95; J. H. Colligan, repairs on tractor, $1.30, Total, $493.13.

District No. 5, Road Fund.

W. H. Westfall, feed and supplies, $217.60; Wiley Moore, labor, $57.50; Lawrence Tootle, labor, $56.25; Earl Tootle, labor, $56.25; Lee Tootle, labor, $62.50; A. W. Flurry, groceries for road camp, $38.04; Clifton Dees, nails, $1.50; J. L. Oneal, feed, $4.35. Total, $493.99.

Districts Nos. 2 and 3, Road Construction Fund.

Fred Taylor, clerk, amount paid V. Cruzat, guardian Buchanan heirs, $100.00; A. & M. R. R. Co., freight on supplies, $52.96; L. & N. R. R. Co., freight on supplies, $97.56; A. & M. R R. Co., freight on supplies, $153.16; L. & N. R. R. Co., freight on supplies, $49.53; A. & M. R. R. Co., freight on supplies, $157.42; John Gerkins, amount due per estimate No. 5, less freight and war tax, $8060.01; S. Sparling, services engineer project No. 77 and expenses $288.85; Total, $8959.49.

Districts No. 3 and 4, Road Fund.

F. D. Becht, Jr., salary operating Pascagoula ferry, $124.00; A. C. Steede, salary assistant operator Pascagoula ferry, $108.50; Epps Danley, salary deck hand Pascagoula ferry part of June, $42.66; F. D. Becht, hire boat, barge and supplies, $15.55; Gulf Refining Co., of La., 4 drums Lusterlite, $42.51; B. Chestang, making 14 iron braces for Pascagoula ferry, $14.00; Walter Gautier, time and expenses repairing Pascagoula-Gautier road, $22.50. Total, $369.72.

School Fund.

Pascagoula Chronicle, supplies to superintendent of education, $33.69; A. L. Flurry, salary, $112.50, postage $1,50—$114.00. Total $147.69.

Districts Nos. 2 and 3, Road Bond and Interest Fund.

Pascagoula National Bank, semi-annual interest on $75,000 road bonds, $2,067.65; Pascagoula National Bank, amount of principal due on road bonds, $2,502.50. Total, $4,570.15.

A Buffalo merchant is appealing to Postmaster W. T. Sparkman for 4000 or 5000 pounds of snakes for which he is offering 38c per pound. The name of the enterprising dealer in reptiles is Bert J. Putnam. The buyer does not state whether he wants the Pascagoula varieties on ice, alive or salted. We opine that the meat of the viper is a preventative of "shinny jazz" or zig-zag movements, but $1,500 is some money for the summetide. Let's go snaking.

Rev. Father Bernard O'Reilly left Thursday for Joplin, Missouri, where he will spend a month, having exchanged pastorates with Rev. Father O'Driscall, rector of the Catholic church of that place. Both priests needed a change and vacation, and the exchange of pastorales was effected for this purpose.

Bob Kell, Herman Huntsburger Walter Denny and Seabe Pate gave a dance Friday evening at the home of Mr. W. M. Denny on the river. Music was furnished by a Victrola and punch and cake served to the young people who numbered about thirty.

Miss Evelyn Rohr recently gave a most enjoyable entertainment for the members of her Bible class and a few invited friends. All present had a most delightful time.

Capt. W. L. Borden is wearing a broad smile because of the birth of a son, Roberts Leonard. The little stranger was born on the 21st instant.

The schooner C. W. Mills anchored in the bay Wednesday, preparatory to sailing for Caibarien.

THE PROPOSED CANAL.

(Atlanta Constitution.)

The movement that has as its objective the construction of a sea-level canal to provide an indand waterway transportation route extending from the Mississippi rive to the Atlantic ocean, at Cumberland Sound, Ga., is one in the promotion and success of which every citizen of the South, especially of Georgia and the states bordering on the Gulf of Mexico, should take an active and suggestive interest.

In an article appearing elsewhere in this issue, C. C. Thomas, secretary-manager of the Waycross (Ga.) Chamber of Commerce, gives a comprehensive description of the route of the proposed canal, and discusses in detail the probable effects its construction and operation would have upon the territory within reach of it and the navigable rivers of the Mississippi system.

As an artificial water transportation project, Mr. Thomas very appropriately classes the proposed Atlantic-Mississippi canal as being second in importance only to the Suez and Panama canals, and yet its construction would cost almost nothing as compared with the cost of construction of either of these two great waterways.

A bill is pending before the national House of Representatives providing for an immediate survey of the proposed canal, and it will be up for consideration during the short term of the present Congress next December.

It is to be hoped this measure will be speedily enacted, after which it will be a simple matter to get the work of actual construction under way.

In consideration of the national benefits to be realized from the development of this great transportation project, it should encounter no opposition either among the rank and file of American citizens or in Congress.

The Elks' home was the scene of another delightful dance Friday night. The Jazzy Five furnished the music for the dancers and delicious punch was served during the evening. A number of out-of-town guests enjoyed the Elks hospitality with Pascagoula's dancing crowd.

Watermelons weighing seventy-five pounds were sold in this city in the week-end by Mr. Simon Ivas, a Grand Bay farmer. Mr. Ivas says that the land of this section is adapted to the cultivation of large crops of melons, potatoes, cabbage and numerous varieties of vegetables.

Miss Hazel Hackett of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Miss Lizzie Belle Haisten of Birmingham, Ala., are visiting Miss Anita Maxwell at the beach.

Miss Rita Johnson returned from Gulfport Monday where she was employed for two weeks as temporary bookkeeper at the Bank of Gulfport.

Miss Linnie May Williamsen and Mr. Carl Williamsen of Poplarville, Miss., have been the guets of Mrs. Hermes Gautier for several days.

Mrs. P. T. Vaughn and children returned from Mexico, Ky., recently, where they have been visiting Mrs. Vaughn's sister, Mrs. Harry Clark.

Miss Marguerite Bruce returned from Havana Monday, after an enjoyable trip on the "Delta" with her father, Capt. C. H. Bruce.

Miss Nora Lanehardt who is the guest of Mrs. Valsin DeJean spent last week in Biloxi at the White House with relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Bruce and daughter, Miss Odessa, and Mrs. A. B. Brondum motored to Gulfport Friday with Capt. E. H. Richard.

The auxiliary schooner Chiquimula will clear today for Havana with lumber cargo from the L. N. Dantzler Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermes Gautier and baby returned from Gautier Saturday where they have been spending a month.

Mrs. Eugene Gautier and daughter, Mrs. Harold Gautier, are visiting New Orleans today.

Mr. Frank Canty spent Monday in this city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Canty.

Dr. H. P. Cole of Mobile was a visitor to the city Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pickett spent the week-end in Mobile visiting relatives.

Miss Alice Rhodes and Miss Cora Wyatt spent Sunday in New Orleans.

Don't forget the special election for chancery court judge next Tuesday.

Mrs. M. L. Scriven of Mobile is visiting Mrs. E. H. Mayo at the beach.

Mrs George Granlund spent Monday in New Orleans on business.

Miss Sallie Beauchamp spent the week-end in New Orleans.

Miss Alice Frellsen is enjoying a visit to relatives in Houston.

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Leonard Olsen and Bill Grant killed a 6-foot alligator Wednesday at Grand Bature Spit. The weapon used was a flounder gig. The reptile was given a thorough trouncing with a pair of oars before removal of his leather armor.

Mrs. W. H. Huntsberger, who was called to North Carolina on account of the death of her father, Mr. A. J. Bethune, returned home Sunday after a month spent with relatives in North Carolina.

Mrs. Jeanne F. White is ... ing from a recent illness and ... ing among her children this ...

Auctioneer A. W. Bishop of ... was a Wednesday visitor.

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WALKS IN his sleep.
AND IDLY strolling.
PAST THE Mint.
IN PHILADELPHIA.
IS TOUCHED by a stranger.
ACT TWO. Our hero.
LEARNS FROM the stranger.
A SPLENDID way.
TO MAKE money.
AND HE makes lots of it.
BIG BALES of it.
AND THE curtain falls.
ON SCENES of luxury.
ACT THREE. Our hero.
MAKES MORE money.
AND THE plot thickens.
AND THE dark.
MYSTERIOUS STRANGER.

GOES OUT of his life.
FOREVER.
AND ONE fine day.
OUR HERO is caught.
PASSING THIS money.
ACT FOUR. Our hero wakes.
AND TELLS the world.
THROUGH THE bars.
OF HIS Atlanta cell.
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